

January 22, 1979

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 7 pass with the emergency clause attached. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record the vote.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Read record vote found on pages 300-301 of the Legislative Journal. The vote is 40 ayes, 1 nay, 8 not voting.

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE: LB 7 passed with the emergency clause attached. That will end Final Reading for today. All right, Mr. Clerk, read any matters into the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Stoney offers an explanation of vote.

Mr. President, new resolution, LR 8, offered by Senator David Newell. (Read LR 8 found on page 301 of the Journal.) Mr. President, that will be properly referred to the Executive Board.

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE: All right we are then ready to go to agenda item #6, General File, and LB 124, Senator Koch's Education Committee bill. Mr. Clerk, you may read the bill.

CLERK: Read title to LB 124. The bill was first read on January 9, 1979. It was referred to the Education Committee for public hearing. The Education Committee advanced it to General File. There are committee amendments offered by Senator Koch's Education Committee, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. President, members of the body, since there is an amendment and before we get to the essence of the bill, I would move for the adoption of the amendment, the committee amendments.

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE: The committee amendments, all right, the motion then is to the committee amendments. Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: The committee amendments briefly add the word after "blind" on two different lines "and physically handicapped" and this is at the request of the handicapped citizens present. The committee saw fit to adopt that amendment and I am asking for the body to adopt those now before we get into the discussion.